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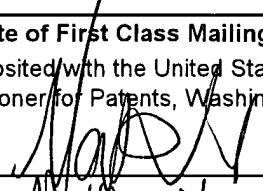
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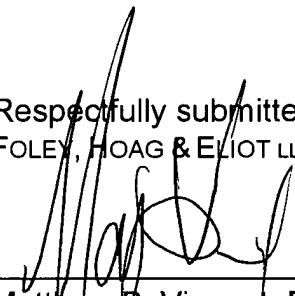
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing with the U.S. Patent Office are the following documents:

1. Response to Office Action dated September 8, 1999;
2. Request for Three Month Extension of Time;
3. Return postcard.

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